

Stuttgart Community Post

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'Tis the Time for Tree Disposal

Attention residents! All Christmas trees should be removed from government quarters as soon as possible. And the annual task is simpler than it may seem. Trees may be disposed of by placing them next to dumpsters, or by contacting your respective building or installation coordinator. On Patch Barracks call 0711-680-5450, Kelley 0711-729-2740, Robinson 0711-819-7343 or the IC's office on Panzer Kaserne, 07031-15-683.

SECTION I OFFICIAL INFO

Numbers To Know...

In case of an emergency call...

Military Police	0711-680-114
Medical	0711-680-116
Fire	0711-680-117

For other non-emergencies contact:

American Red Cross	07031-15-818
Emergency Action Center	0711-729-2601
Chaplain	0711-680-5000
Family Assistance Center	07031-15-524
MP Desk Sergeant	0711-680-5262
Sexual Harassment Hotline	0711-729-2708

Plan for Upcoming Holiday

The next USAREUR training/federal holidays are Jan. 15 and 18 respectively in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday. Check individual offices, stores and services for hours.

Chief of Staff Retires

The 6th ASG Chief of Staff, Joe A. Moore is now retired. Any individuals or offices that were working any issues with him that still require resolution and the Command Group's attention must e-mail Rita Gunderson at (cmd-sec@6asg.army.mil) or call 0711-729-2131.

Upcoming Officer Candidate Board

It's that time of year again. The 6th Area Support Group will conduct an Officer Candidate Board on Jan. 19, 8 a.m. in the Command Conference Room, Building 3315 on Kelley Barracks. The uniform is Class A's. Please turn your packets in by Jan. 14. For additional information contact SSG Mimms 0711-729-2898.

SERVICES

Panzer USO Reopens

The expanded and improved Panzer USO has moved and will reopen Jan. 12 in its new location in building 2953 above the beauty shop. Hours will be from 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. from Tuesdays through Thursdays. Come by and check it out or call 07031-15-444 for assistance.

Temporary Closings

Due to training, all Stuttgart-area Community Banks will not open until 10:30 a.m. Jan. 20. For more information call John Buchanan at 0711-680-8468.

The Kathe Wohlfahrt concessionaire on Patch Barracks will be closed Jan. 18 through Feb. 1 for inventory and renovation.

New Hours for Local Commissaries

As the result of a community-wide survey, the Patch and Panzer commissaries have changed the days on which they are closed. Effective Jan. 1, the Patch Commissary is now closed Mondays and open Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. The Panzer Commissary is now open Mondays from 11 a.m. to

4 p.m. and closed Saturdays. Direct any questions or concerns to 0711-680-8401.

Clinic Changes Its Name

The Exceptional Family Member Service clinic recently underwent a name change. The clinic, which helps children achieve their developmental and educational potential, is now referred to as the Educational and Developmental Service Clinic. The EDIS Clinic provides quality family-centered services, consultation and therapy in the home, school and community and is located on Panzer, building 2996. For details call 07031-15-697.

New Operating Hours Soon in Effect

Effective Jan. 18, Official Mail operating hours will be 7:30 a.m. to noon and 1 to 3:45 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and open from 1 to 3:45 p.m. only on Thursdays.

Administration, Information Services Management (Publications, Copier Management and Records Management) and Automation Operating Hours will be from 7:30 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and from 1 to 4 p.m. only on Thursdays.

Effective next month, the RSC will close from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the first working Friday of every month for battalion meetings.

For further information regarding any of the above changes contact Mrs. Sehra, 0711-729-2918.

SECTION II COMMUNITY INFO

Club Hosts Tour of Mercedes Plant

The German-American Club is offering a tour of the Mercedes's Assembly Plant in Sindelfingen Jan. 18 (Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday) for its club members and those interested in joining. The two-hour tour begins at 2 p.m. and will be followed by an introduction to the club and explanation of its purpose. Family members over 16 years of age are invited to attend. For details call William Torbett, 07031-276571 between 6 and 8 p.m.

Post Oratorical Contest

The American Legion Post 6 of Stuttgart will host a Post Oratorical Contest Jan. 20 from 2 to 7 p.m. in the Patch High School forum. Savings bonds worth up to \$500 and a chance to compete at the department- and national-level competitions will be awarded to the top winners. Contact 0711-680-8590 for details.

Free Philippine Cooking Class

Join Ancie for a new cooking class Jan. 16 at 10 a.m. where she will teach you how to prepare authentic fare from the Philippines. The USO will provide all the fixin's, just come by and join in on the fun. Adults only. Call 0711-680-5559 for details.

B.O.S.S. Super Bowl Party

B.O.S.S. kicks off its always-exciting Super Bowl party Jan. 31 at 9 p.m. at the Swabian Special Events Center. Admission is free for single service members. Giveaways, finger food and more will be provided. For more information call Casey Malloy, 0711-729-2100.

Support Group for Parents

Join ACS for Mom's Together (Dads are welcome too!), an educational support group for parents with young children (ages 0-5). Weekly topics presented include raising good children, children's growth and development, nurturing your family while taking care of yourself, basic life support, first aid and more. The group meets Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to noon at the Robinson Barracks Chapel Annex and Thursdays from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the Patch Youth Services Building. Child care provided on site. Questions? Contact ACS, 0711-680-7176.

Attention moms and dads from both Panzer Kaserne and Kelley Barracks, ACS would like your input. Are you interested in starting groups in your community? Call 0711-680-7176.

Beanie Baby Club and Cards

The Stuttgart USO currently has Beanie Baby Club Kits and is now offering them for \$13 each. The kit enables those interested to order the "Clubby Bear," only available to members. Trading cards are also available for \$3.50 per package. Call 0711-680-5559 for details.

ARTS and CRAFTS

Crafts Center Creates New Programs

Under new management, the Patch Arts and Crafts Center introduces its enlivened program! Children ages 10 and up can have a blast tie-dying T-shirts or banners; come dye a beautiful piece of wearable silk art at the silk scarf or silk painting classes; new next month, discover decorative acrylic painting (beginner's 6-week course); and last but not least, enjoy Machine Sewing Made Easy (beginner or intermediate levels) during

either day and evening classes beginning Feb. 1, 2 and 3 and continuing for 6 weeks.

Fun, festive and supervised craft entertainment is also available for children's birthday parties.

Interested in teaching an art class of your own? Well the center would like your input. To discuss opportunities or any of the above classes being offered call Laura Taylor, 0711-680-7109 from 9 a.m. to noon Mondays through Fridays.

CLUB INFO

RB Club Cancels Breakfast Buffet

The RB Community Club no longer offers its breakfast buffet from Tuesdays through Fridays. Any comments? Call 0711-819-6129.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

ISM Training Scheduled

The next Information Service Management Training classes offered are: Official Mail Training (Jan. 20, 9 a.m. to noon); Modern Army Record Keeping Systems, Files Training (Jan. 26, 8:30 a.m. to noon); and Freedom of Information/Privacy Act (Feb. 3, 9 a.m. to noon).

All classes will be held in the 6th ASG Training Center, building 3307 on Kelley Barracks. For more information call Ms. Douglass 0711-729-2917 or e-mail (douglassy@52sigrsc.stuttgart.army.mil).

Child Care Provider Training

Do you love children? Want to make some extra money? Train to be a Family Child Care Provider at the next class Jan. 25 to 29.

Applications are being accepted at the Family Child Care Office on Patch Barracks, building 2347, above the Patch CDC. For more information call 0711-680-7147.

ENTERTAINMENT

Controversial Play Comes to Center

The Stuttgart Theatre Center on Kelley Barracks presents its production of "Oleanna," a seething investigation of political correctness in a time when a nation's morality has been tested by increasing incidents of sexual harassment. David Mamet's riveting, controversial drama will be performed Jan. 22 to 24, 29 to 31 and Feb. 5 to 7. All show times are 7:30 p.m.

A college student drops by her professor's office to ask for help—a seemingly innocent, everyday occurrence that becomes the first step of

a violent journey with devastating consequences. Not recommended for children under 16. Reservations are recommended. For ticket information and details call 0711-729-2825 from 12:30 to 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays through Fridays.

Concert Tickets Now on Sale

The USO is now selling tickets to the following upcoming concerts in the area: Sheryl Crow, Feb. 10; Dru Hill, Feb. 11; Kiss, March 20; Beastie Boys, April 19; and Meat Loaf, April 30. Ticket prices range from 42 to 62 marks. Call 0711-680-5559 for details.

Film Schedule

If you have any questions or wish to confirm show times and ratings call the Patch Theater at 0711-680-5310 or the Robinson Barracks Theater, 0711-819-6137. All movies and times are subject to change.

Patch Barracks Theater:

Fri., Jan. 8, Babe: Pig in the City, 7 p.m., G
Holy Man, 9:30 p.m., PG
Sat., Jan. 9, Babe: Pig in the City, 7 p.m., G
Holy Man, 9:30 p.m., PG
Sun., Jan. 10, Babe: Pig in the City, 7 p.m., G
Mon., Jan. 11, Holy Man, 7 p.m., PG
Tues., Jan. 12, Babe: Pig in the City, 7 p.m., G
Wed., Jan. 13, Apt Pupil, 7 p.m., R
Thurs., Jan. 14, The Bride of Chucky, 7 p.m., R
Fri., Jan. 15, You've Got Mail, 7 p.m., PG
Practical Magic, 9:30 p.m., PG-13

Robinson Barracks Theater:

Fri., Jan. 8, A Bug's Life, 7 p.m., G
Sat., Jan. 9, Beloved, 7 p.m., R
Sun., Jan. 10, A Bug's Life, 4 p.m., G
Beloved, 7 p.m., R
Mon. through Thurs., (closed)
Fri., Jan. 15, Babe: Pig in the City, 7 p.m., G

Corso Theater (Hauptstr. 6, Vaihingen):

Call the theater at 0711-734-916 for information and film schedule. The recording is in both English and German.

GETAWAYS

Visit Zurich, Switzerland

The famous city of Zurich awaits you Jan. 16 with wide boulevards lined with specialty shops, beautiful lakes and magnificent architecture. A local tour guide will first show you around, then you're free to roam on your own all afternoon. On the way to Zurich, the van will also stop at the

famous Rheinfall near Schaffhausen. Price is \$44/adults, \$39 for children ages 3 and over. Bring Swiss francs and border crossing documents. Call the USO, 0711-680-5559 for trip details.

B.O.S.S. Trip to Chiemsee

Sign up now for the Feb. 4 to 7 adventure to the AFRC Chiemsee Resort with the B.O.S.S group. Members and non-members alike can enjoy 3 nights of parties and tours as well as daily programs that include such activity choices as skiing and snowboarding, a ski race competition, snow flag football and luge competition. Lessons and equipment are also available. Cost is \$199 per person, which covers programs, hotel, transportation, breakfast and dinner. Call Casey Malloy, 0711-729-2100 to reserve.

PX and Outlet Shopping with USO

Join the USO for two great shopping tours. For starters, traveling to both the Ramstein and Vogelweh shopping areas will be hassle-free when you come along for the ride Jan. 17. Cost is \$18. Military I.D. required.

Another great shopping trip is to Amberg Jan. 20 for a day of outlet shopping. Your potential spending spree will include great bargains on leather, men's and women's clothing, porcelain and antiques. Trip is \$29/adults, \$21/children. But don't forget to bring VAT forms, marks and major credit cards (American Express is not accepted).

For more information on these or any other USO getaways call 0711-680-5559.

Enjoy Skiing in Portes du Soleil

The list is filling up quickly for an adventure to Portes du Soleil Jan. 15 to 18 – the ski trip of the year offered through the Patch Ski Club. You don't need to be a member to go, and if you are a member, bring a friend, too!! Price per person is 480 marks for a double room, which includes 3-star accommodations walking distance to the lifts, transportation, three dinners and two breakfasts. Go to shop, go to ski, go because it's the place to be. Call Kris Fister at 0711-680-5378 or 07031-22-46-83 to arrange.

JOB CORNER

Security Guards Needed

Pond's Security Service GmbH is seeking anyone interested in working part-time as a security guard in the Stuttgart area. Applicants must be ready for shift work. Call 0711-729-2606 or visit the office in building 3303 on Kelley Barracks.

Joe Dugan's Now Hiring

The NAF Civilian Personnel Office is currently accepting applications from U.S. Citizens to fill seven Club Aid positions at Joe Dugan's on Patch Barracks. Starting pay rate is \$7.10 per hour. Interested applicants should stop by the NAF CPO weekdays between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., room 102, building 3315 on Kelley. For more information call 0711-729-2191.

Interested in a Life of Crime?

The United States Army Criminal Investigation Command is now accepting applications from enlisted soldiers who wish to change their MOS and become CID Special Agents. No soldier joins the Army as a CID Special Agent. All Special Agents are recruited from the ranks of active duty soldiers.

If accepted, you'll attend the 15-week CID Special Agent Course at the United States Army Military Police School. Upon successful completion you'll change your MOS to MOS 95D (CID Special Agent), and after only two years as a CID Special Agent you'd be eligible to apply to become a CID Special Agent Warrant Officer.

If interested, call the Special Agent-In-Charge of your local CID office for qualification requirements and assistance in preparing your application. Don't wait! Your life of crime is waiting for you!

Sports and Fitness

Outdoor Rec is Ready for the Season

Outdoor Rec has everything anyone needs to enjoy skiing in the Alps. They'll tune your skis and take you to the slopes in Allgaeu or Feldberg. The \$40 package includes equipment and transportation only, lift tickets not included. Or, just come along for \$30 if you just need a ride! Trip departs Saturdays at 6 a.m. and returns at approximately 8 p.m. Pre-registration is required.

Beginners or units can also enjoy trips to a small resort in the Schwaebisch Alps for just \$30, which includes transportation and rentals only.

And finally, Outdoor Rec has Mercedes recreational vehicles to rent for \$85 a day. Sleeps four. Unlimited mileage.

Questions? Visit the Panzer location at the Community Club from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays or call 07031-15774.

Thrift Shop

Check Out the Winter Clearance

The Robinson Barracks Thrift Shop has cleaned out its closet and is now ready for the new year with a special winter clearance and New Year's sale through Jan. 16. Many selected items are 20 to 50 percent off. Plus, come in to check out the daily surprise as well as their great selection of paperback books. Consign your ski clothing, or just express support by donating any unwanted items. Cash can be paid for transformers. Consignments are accepted daily from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The shop is located in building 196 and is open daily from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information call 0711-854-242.

Youth & Teen

Play Bingo for Beanie Babies

Yes, the new wave of Beanie Babies has arrived in Stuttgart, and children ages 6 to 12 will now have a chance to win one while playing Bingo Jan. 15 from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Patch YS. Price is \$5 per child and includes dinner. One card per game will be issued to each player, and a new way to win will be described with each game. Don't be left out! Pre-registration is not required. For more information call 0711-680-7204.

Teen Center Activities

Following are some of the highlights on the Teen Center calendar for January. Enjoy free popcorn and fun during movie night Jan. 14 at 7 p.m.; All-area dance takes place Jan. 16 from 8 p.m. to midnight (\$5 admission); voice or vent your comments about current or potential programs at the next teen town hall meeting Jan. 21 at 6:30 p.m.; and finally, 7th and 8th graders are invited to go ice skating in Degerloch Jan. 29. For more information on these and other teen events, call the Teen Center at 0711-680-4494 or Youth Services at 0711-680-7204.

MARKETPLACE

Items will be included for two weeks unless the Post is notified that they are no longer valid. Items will run on a space-available basis, all at the discretion of the Post editor.

For Sale/Vehicles/Equipment:

1996 GMC Sierra 1500, white, 64,000 miles, extended cab pick-up, many extras, louver package, low profile fiberglass bed cover, bed liner, complete towing package, brand new all-terrain tires and more. Inspection good through Dec. 1999. Meticulously cared for. Used primarily to pull 26-foot Prowler RV in the States.

\$17,500. Call Ray at 07156-330588 or 0173-3012043.

1983 Opel Kaddet, 4-door hatchback. \$650 OBO. Call Jeff at 0711-810-6088 or e-mail (jefferyjohnson@csi.com).

Four 175/70R13 Goodyear Ultra Grip winter tires, used less than 1 month, \$150; wood-carved sewing cabinet with padded chair, \$80. Contact Temmy at 0711-680-4517 or 07159-7316 after 9 p.m.

1979 Mercedes 350SE, runs well, large, 4-door, inspection good till May '99 (but first needs rust repair), \$850. Call 0711-856-8412.

Housing:

House for lease near Fort Carson, Colorado. Three bedroom, 1.5 bath, 2 car automatic garage, 1650 sq. ft plus 350 sq. ft. unfinished basement, walk-in pantry, loft ceilings, full sprinkler system in yard. 15 min. from Carson near Peterson AFB. Pet is negotiable. Fenced in yard. Contact Brenda at 687-7665 or e-mail (Brenroc@hotmail.com).

Employment/Services:

Child care needed for pre-schooler and infant. Must be able to come to my home at Robinson Barracks. Needed from January until May. Call to discuss details, 0711-810-6309 (home) after 6 p.m. (leave message if earlier) or 0711-680-4499 (work).

Stylist needed, or someone with basic hair care knowledge. Will train. Call Pearl or Ralph 0711-60-4575.

For Sale/Miscellaneous:

Moving Sale: Carpets, only six months old, look like new. Asking \$50 each. Same rugs selling at Robinson CX for over \$100. Sizes: 9x12 (Cream) or 12x17 (Brown). For more information contact 1LT Tobi Yerg at 07031-232860.

Large chest freezer, 220v, very good condition, \$115; several fans, 220v, price varies by size; European heart waffle maker, 220v, brand new in box, \$25; under sink cabinets for bathroom, white, excellent condition, made in Denmark, \$10 each (2); sheers for living room (two months old), windowsill length, perfect condition, \$25; children's gate, excellent condition, white, standard door size, \$10; Krups kitchen mixer, 220v, free standing or can use on base, excellent condition, \$20. Call Laura at (0711) 6877-354.

Hitachi VHS video camera with case, battery pack, \$100; German cordless telephone, like new, \$50; Nokia satellite dish system, \$60. Call Garry at 0711-854233 after 6 p.m. or leave message.

Baby photo albums. Small \$15, large \$25. Different patterns available. Call Toni at 0711-817-7864.

8 ft. x 9 ft. rug, gray, \$30; Italian metal twin bed and mattress, \$25. If interested call 0711-726-1333.

Historical romance novels for sale, \$1 each. Contact Nathalie at 0711-9905143 or e-mail (grangvoigt@aol.com).

Yamaha classical guitar for sale. In excellent condition. Comes with hard case and extra nylon strings. Asking \$300. Call Mark, 0711-680-8433 (work) or 0711-687-7167 (home).

Free black and white guinea pig to good home. Cute, very healthy and friendly. Low maintenance pet. Cage and all supplies included. We are moving and can't take him. Call 0711-687-7860.

German tanning bed, 220 volts, great condition, \$150. Call Sabine, 07031-672244.

Dark oak veneer computer desk, \$35; white microwave hutch, \$15; Ricoh "Shotmaster" AF-P 35mm camera, \$75; four straight-back dining-room chairs, need refurbishing, all for \$50; old print "Home Sweet Home" in 28x35" antiques frame, \$20; plus, antiques! Call 07031-234-028 or e-mail (jessco@ibm.net).

Women's Salomon 73, rear entry ski boots, size 320/25.0 (about a U.S. 7 1/2 or 8). Very good condition, \$30. Call Pamela Howard at 0711-680-5954 (days) or 0711-683959 (evenings).

Lost and Found:

Found: Beanie Baby in the parking lot of Vehicle Registration, Vehicle Inspection and Shipping; directly behind the German Kantina on Panzer Kaserne. Call and identify 07031-15-833.

For the Jan. 15 issue, submit items by noon Jan. 8. Articles must not exceed 75 words. Space is limited and content is at the editor's discretion. Articles will run for a maximum of two weeks. Include your name and civilian telephone number with area code. Send items

to 6th ASG, ATTN: Stuttgart Community Post, APO AE 09107; fax 0711-729-2051; e-mail (media@6asg.army.mil); or deliver it to the Media Center, building 3307, Kelley Barracks. Questions? Call 0711-729-2000. The Secretary of the Army has determined that the publication of a periodical is necessary in the transaction of the public business as required by law. Use of funds for printing this publication has been approved by U.S. Army, Europe, commander in chief June 1, 1990, in accordance with Army Regulation 25-30.
